

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

**CESAR VELAZQUEZ,**  
**Petitioner**

**v.**

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,**  
**Respondent**

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**No. 1:00-cr-290**

**(Judge Kane)**

**ORDER**

**AND NOW**, on this 5th day of February 2018, upon consideration of Petitioner's motion to correct sentence under 28 U.S.C. § 2255 (Doc. No. 103), and in accordance with the accompanying Memorandum, **IT IS ORDERED THAT:**

1. Petitioner's motion (Doc. No. 103), is **DISMISSED** without prejudice as time-barred;
2. A certificate of appealability is **GRANTED**; and
3. The Clerk of Court is directed to **CLOSE** civil case number 16-cv-1290.

s/ Yvette Kane  
Yvette Kane, District Judge  
United States District Court  
Middle District of Pennsylvania